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TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified Application.

- (X) Supplemental Amendment E with one (1) sheet of marked-up drawings and one (1) sheet of replacement drawings (Fig. 53A).
- (X) Letter to the Draftsman with one (1) sheet of marked-up drawings (Fig. 53A).
- (X) Submission of Substitute Formal Drawings with two (2) sheets of replacement drawings (Figs. 49A and 53A).
- (X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Dear Sir:

Please approve the changes as shown in red in the attached marked-up

copies of Fig. 53A.

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SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are two (2) sheets of formal drawings to be substituted for Figs. 49A and 53A initially filed in the above-identified Application. Please retain the remaining originally filed sheets.

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